From Senators.

WHITE SOX IN THE LEAD

ALABAMA STAKES EASILY WON BY BELDAME.

Results at Saratoga — Good Amateur Base Ball Games Played on Local Grounds Yesterday.

American Louis.

Washington at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Detroit.

National Leag.

Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

Pittsburg at Brooklyn.

Chicago at New York.

St. Louis at Boston.

Standing of American League Clubs.

standing of National League Clubs.

W. L. Pet. New York. 64 25 .719 St. Louis. 49 46 .533 Chicago. 54 36 .600 Boston. 35 59 .372 Pittaburg. 52 36 .501 Brooklyn. 32 61 .344 Cincinnati. 54 39 .581 Phil'delphia 25 64 .281 Yesterday's National League Games.

Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
Philadelphia, 4; Cincinnati, 3.
Pittsburg, 4; Brooklyn, 1.
Chicago, 3; New York, 2.
New York, 3; Chicago, 0.
Boston, 2; St. Louis, 1.
St. Louis, 1; Boston,

There was joy in the hearts of the Chi tago fans yesterday afternoon when the White Sox took the fourth consecutive game from the Senators by the score of 10 Hutchinson's favor.

to 1, and as a result landed at the head Ballinger of the Guntons carried off the to 1, and as a result landed at the head of the American League. At the same time the Cleveland team was drubbing the Boston champions to the tune of 11 to 1.

The White Sox played ball yesterday from the start to the finish, while the Senators played somewhat listlessly, being unable to get their eye on the little sphere when hits were needed. Smith, for the White Sox, did effective work in the box, allowing but six hits. Only once did the Senators get two safeties together, in the last inning, when Stahl was chased across the plate with the local team's solitary run of the game.

Patten had been saved for the last game in the hope that the White Stockings' winning streak would be checked in the final contest of the series. But the Chicago players had their eye on the top round of the ladder and were not to be stopped. Patten gave several bases on balls and allowed the White Sox fourteen hits. The score follows:

Left on bases—Chicago, 9; Washington, 4. Two-base hits—Tannehill, McFarland and Hill. Sacri-fice hits—Smith and Donohue. Stolen bases—Green (2) and Callahan. Double plays—Smith, Isbell and Donohue; McCormick, Cassidy and Stahl. Struck out—By Smith, 4; by Patten, 1. Bases on balls— Off Smith, 1; off Patten, 6. Umpire—Mr. Sheridan. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

OTHER AMERICAN GAMES.

New York, 6; Detroit, 1. Al Orth officiated on the slab for the

Highlanders in the game played at Detroit yesterday afternoon, and held the Tigers safe all through the contest. Coughlin, the Senators' former third baseman, was hit in the head in the first inning and had to retire from the game. The score: DETROIT.

Totals 6 10 27 18 0

Detroit 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1

New York 0 2 0 0 4 0 0 0 0—6

Earned runs—Detroit, 1; New York, 4. Two-base
hits—Fultz, Kleinow, Conroy, Lowe and Killian.
Three-base hits—Lowe, Williams and Ganzel.
Stolen bases—Crawford and Elberfeld. First base
on balls—Off Killian, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Killian, 2; by Orth, 1. Struck out—By Orth, 1. Left
on bases—Detroit, 5; New York, 7. Double play—
Williams to Ganzel. Umpires—Messrs. Dwyer and
King. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

Cleveland, 11; Boston, 1.

Gibson, the champion twirler, was batted all over the lot in the fourth inning of the game played at Cleveland between Lajole's colts and Boston yesterday afternoon, six runs being made in that inning. The Cleveland players began slugging the ball from the start, and the champions were unable to get their hits bunched. The score: CLEVELAND.

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Clareland						9	24	10

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games with all the first-class teams

Chicago Took Fourth Game

different leagues. Address all challenges to G. E. Whitfield, 3419 Brown street.

The Washington Boys' Club is very anxious to get a game with the Bloomingdale Athletic Club. The W. B. C. can secure the Georgetown College field if the Bloomingdale team is willing to play. Address Manager Charles Butler, 3006 Q street

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Miller, rf. ... 5 1 1 1 3 0 0

Miller, rf. ... 5 0 1 1 0 0

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams. Fourth 19 3 804 Sixth 13 11 542 Gurley 17 6 739 St. Stephen's 12 12 500 Mt. Pl. Cong 19 7 731 Mt. Pl. Meth 9 14 391 Gunton 19 7 731 Wesley 5 22 185 Foundry 17 8 680 St. Alban's 4 24 143 Wilson 13 11 542 Mt. Vernon 3 22 12)

Games Today. White Lot-Wilson vs. Gurley. Mt. Pleasant-Sixth vs. Fourth.

WON IN THE NINTH.

Wesley Lost Game, but Surprised the

Gunton Players. Gunton, 5; Wesley, 4. Thus the score stood at the close of a fast and cleanly played contest on the White Lot yesterday afternoon when the strong Gunton team crossed bats with the Wesley Chapel boys and the spectators had a narrow escape from witnessing the "mouse bearding the lion," for the Methodist team played with a vim that has never been shown by the boys before this season. The "Champs" also were in good form and not until "Sammy" Seay drove

out a two-bagger in the ninth inning

which scored the winning run, did they have any amount of certainty in the out-The Chapel club assumed the lead in the first inning, and although the Presbyte-rians evened matters in the third, the Methodists again attained leadership in the fifth, which they maintained until the seventh, when the ex-champions, amid the applause of the fans, pulled off suc-cessfully a trick they learned from the Senators. Speakman was on third and Harding the initial sack, when the latter started to steal second, and on Spicer's attempt to check his flight Speakman impressed the tying score on the counting pan. The score remained this way until the ninth and with two men down and Hutchinson on first, S. Seay scored him

with his double. Spicer, the released Gunton twirler, occupied the box for Wesley against S. Seay for the Presbyterians, the latter, however, being compelled, because of an injured hand, to retire in the seventh in

play St. Alban's yesterday, but as this team has disbanded arrangements were made to play off their postponed game with Gunton, hence they received credit

day. The score:	ne	W	on	aı	ıa	108	t y	est	er-
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Hurley, 2b				4	2	2	3	3	0
Kettler, ss				5	1	0	6	1	0
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J. Ellett, cf				4	0	1	1	0	0
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N Ellett. 3b				3	0	1	4	2	ô
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Totals					4	8	27	13	3
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We sley		3	0	0	0	1 0	0	0 6	4
First base he come	- 0		100						1000

First base by errors—Gunton, 1; Wesley, 2. Left on bases—Gunton, 10; Wesley, 8. First base on on bases—Gunton, 10; Wesley, 8. First base en balls—Off Spicer, 3; off Hutchinson, 1. Struck out —By S. Seay, 7; by Spicer, 5; by Hutchinson, 2. Two-base hits—Wood, Harding and S. Seay. Sacrifice hit—Crampton. Stolen bases—B. Wood (2), Mathews and Ballinger. Hit by pitcher—By S. Seay, 3; by Spicer, 1. Passed balls—Crampton (1). Speakman (2). Umpire—Mr. Cauliflower. Time of game—1 hour and 20 minutes.

HIT THE BALL HARD.

Gurley Players Win Easily From Mt. Vernon Team.

The Gurley Presbyterian Sunday School team held the Mount Vernon team down to one lone run on the Van Ness Park field yesterday afternoon, the score being 11 to 1. Gurley hit the ball hard and timely, while the losers could get but five scratch hits Pickford, who did the twirling for the winners, was in fine form, and for the eight innings he officiated he allowed but four hits and secured six strike-outs. Haring relieved Pickford in the eighth, allowing one hit and causing three men to fan the air. Field, for the Mount Vernons, was touched

Clear played a good game on first for Gurley, and Vogelsberger, on second, was also there with the goods. Terry did the best fielding work for the losers. His one misplay was not costly.

Beall had his batting eyes open yesterday.

as he connected safely four times out of six times up, securing two doubles and two singles. Thomas managed to get three good singles. Krauss led with the willow for Mt. Vernon.

The losers scored their only run in the

first inning. Krauss, the first man up, singled, and scored on an out. The Gurley boys hit the ball at will. Three good double plays were pulled off by Mt. Vernon. GURLEY. AB. R. 1B. PO. A. E.

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Xander, 88 6	1 0	1	2 2 2 2	0
Fillius, rf 6	4 2	0	2	0
Vogelsberger, 2b 5	2 2	3	2	0
Thomas, 3b 5	2 2 1 3	0	2	1
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Calvary Shut Out. The Fifth Baptist Sunday School base ball team played its first game last evening, winning from Calvary by the score of 13 to 0. The features of the game were the battery work of Nugent and La Foe and the home-run hit of Captain Carroll, all of the winning team. The winners would like to arrange games with any uniformed teams. Address A. W. Richards, secretary, 410 7th street southwest.

ST. STEPHEN'S DEFEATED.

Foundry Secured Winning Run in the Last Time Up.

For several innings on the Mt. Pleasant grounds yesterday it looked as though the ball players that hall from the St. Stephen's Church were going to add another tie game to their record, but the spectators had another look coming. when, after two hands were out for the Foundrys in the ninth, three men succeeded in getting to the bases in safety. Then "Dutch" Kinney swatted a beautiful

hit out and scored the winning run.
At one time during the game the "Saints" had twice as many hits to their credit as the Methodist lads. Burroughs started to do the twirling for the losers, and until the fifth inning put up the real The Gonzagas would like to arrange down to such an extent that it was ames with all the first-class teams in the thought best to replace him in the sev-

FOUNDRY. that played the Washingtons, and it is hoped it can be arranged before the end-ing of the Church League schedule.

St. Stephen's....... 2 0 2 0 0 2 1 0 0-7
Foundry....... 0 0 0 1 4 2 0 0 1-8
*Two hands out when game was called. *Two hands out when game was called.

First base on balls—Off Burroughs, 3; off Kinney, 3; of McKnight, 3. First base on errors—St. Stephen's, 2; Foundry, 4. Left on bases—St. Stephen's, 10; Foundry, 10. Sacrifice hit—Harvey-cutter. Stolen bases—Hayden, Green (3), Duffy, Kinney, Harvey-cutter, Randall and O'Brien (2). Struck out—By Burroughs, 4; by Kinney, 11; by McKnight, 1. Double play—Hayden to Earnest, Hit by pitcher—By Kinney, Hayden. Wild pitches—Burroughs, 3; Kinney, 1. Passed ball—Randall, Umpire—Mr. Betts. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

CAPITAL CITY LEAGUE. Standing of the Clubs. | Won. Lost. | St. Stephen's Institute | 16 | 5 | 5 | Turner Athletic Club | 17 | 7 | Carroll Institute | 15 | 9 | Genzaga | 7 | 15 |

Teday, at 5:30, West Diamond, White Lot, Turner Athletic Club vs. St. Stephen's Institute.

VICTORY FOR CARROLL. Won Close Game From Gonzaga in

Eighth Inning. The game between the Carroll Institute and Gonzaga teams on the White Lot yesterday afternoon proved to be an interesting contest, the former wirning by 4 to 3. The game was closely contested, and there were many clever plays made in the field which aroused boisterous enthusiasm among the large crowd of spectators. Both Wheatley and Anderson performed nicely in the box for their respective teams, and Wheatley in particular fielded his position

injured hand, to retire in the seventh in Hutchinson's favor.

Ballinger of the Guntons carried off the stick honors, with four hits out of five times up.

The Wesley boys were scheduled to play St. Alban's vesterday, but as the score follows: exceptionally well. score follows:

CARROLL	15.	LL.			14.
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Drescher, Ib	. 0	0	9	0	- 0
Cullen, cf	1	1	3	0	0
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Hershberger, rf			9	5	Č
Wheatley, p		1	-		
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Totals	*	8	•26	10	
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Smith, c	. 0	1	6	2	
Lawlor, ss		1	0	1	2
Qu'nn, cf		0	2	0	•
Davis. 3b	0	0	1	4	1
Farrell, 2b		2	2	2	(
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Carroll 0 0 0	0 1	0	0	3 0	-4
Genzaga 0 0 0	0 0	0	3	0 0	-3
Consega o o			-		1

First base by errors-Carroll, 4; Gonzaga, 1. Left on bases—Carroll, 8; Gonzaga, 1. Letton bases—Carroll, 8; Gonzaga, 5. First base on balls—Off Wheatley, 3; off Anderson, 1. Struck out—By Anderson, 7; by Wheatley, 7. Two-base hits—Smith, Farrell, Murphy and Waple, Sacrifice hits—Cullen and Cantwell, Stolen base—Farrell, Double play—Wheatley to Drescher, Umpfre Mr. Handlbox, Time of Games have and 22 Time of game-1 hour and 22

WHITEWASHED THE BUREAUS. Benefit Game Won by Nine Representing Kismet Council.

"Like lambs to the slaughter!" yelled an enthusiastic rooter at the game played yesterday at American League Park between the Kismets and Bureaus, in which the Kismets whitewashed their opponents to the tune of 3 to 0. The contest was for the benefit of Jos. Boucher, a player of local fame, who has helped many a team in attaining base ball honors, and who, at present, is confined in a hospital ward. "Rube" Clark, who pitched for Kismet, bewildered the Bureaus, striking out ten of their players, five of them consecutively, in the third and fourth innings, giving but one base on balls, and allowing but two hits, both of them to short right. These came in the sixth and seventh innings, Taylor receiving one and Glotzbach the

Gates, at the receiving end for Kismet, caught an excellent game. Sprigman's catch in short right field was vigorously applauded. Fitzpatrick's heady playing was also a feature of the Kismets' fast work Handiboe made a beautiful stop

inning. French's delivery was taken to kindly by Kismet, but had he been backed better by his teammates, the score would have been smaller. Only in the sixth inning did the Bureaus look at all dangerous, when Taylor singled to right and was advanced to third by means of Venable's error on Bradley's tap, but "Rube" Clark put on a little steam and fanned Mullen for the third time, retiring the side. Sergt. Stevens of the Marine Corps handled the indicator

Kismet scored the first run in the opening inning. Glotzback misjudged Hughes' drive and a sacrifice with Gates' single scored the run. The second run came in the fourth inning. Williams singled, Fitzpatrick sacrificed; French, who fielded the ball, threw wild to first and Williams trotted home with the second score. The third and last run came in the fifth inning, after two hands were out. Sprig-man beat out a bunt and went to third on Gates' drive to center. Theball was thrown to Handiboe at third to catch Sprigman but the sphere went through his hands and the runner scored.

Kismet will meet the National Council

team tomorrow afternoon at 14th and A streets northeast. The score: RUREAU.

Bureau ... 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 x-3
Bureau ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
First base by errors—Kismet, 3; Bureau, 1. Left
on bases—Kismet, 6; Bureau, 4. First base on
balls—Off Clark, 1; off French, 2. Struck out—By
Clark, 10; by French, 4. Two-base hit—Hughes.
Sacrifice hits—Sprigman, Fitzpatrick (2), Glotz-back, Lord. Double plays—French to Bradley;
French to Handiboe. Umpire—Mr. Stevens. Time
of game—1 hour and 5 minutes. Bloomingdale Won.

The Bloomingdales defeated the fast team representing St. Anthony's Church at Brookland yesterday, score 8 to 0. The feature of the game was the fine battery work of Miller and Gill for the Bloomingdales.

Hercules Defeat E. A. C. The Hercules defeated the E. A. C. team yesterday on the Georgetown campus by the score of 6 to 0. The superb pitching of McKinley and the fast fielding of Sebastian of the Hercules were the features of the

game. The Hercules would like to hear from all teams averaging sixteen years of age. Address all communications to Edward H. McKinley, 1713 33d street.

the consent of all the other clubs no club can participate in an outside game during their season. This will mean that with their postponed games it will be late in September before a test of the relative merits of the church players and the indemerits of the church players and the independents can be had. This, it is said, is going to cause confusion in determining the championship of the latrict, as the independent teams will the admit that the church players are the lat.

The Commissioners' by wants to arrange a game with either last year's champions—the Guntons—the lear's leaders—the Fourth Presbyterian—or a picked team from the Church League, such as the one that played the Washingtons, and it is

BELDAME ROMPS HOME. Crack Octagon Filly Wins Alabama

Stakes at Saratoga. Newton Bennington's great filly Beldame won the \$5,000 Alabama Stakes for threeyear-old fillies, one mile and an eighth, in a romp at Saratoga yesterday. With Hamburg Belle a non-starter there was not much interest attached to this usually fine race, for E. R. Thomas's Dimple and John A. Drake's Ishlana were the only other starters out of a long list of eligibles. Beldame opened at 1 to 10 and closed at 1 to 20. O'Nelll had her under double wraps all the way and she came home cantering all the way and she came home cantering with four lengths to spare in 1.53 3-5. Dimple, backed for the place at 9 to 20, had an easy time holding it from Ishlana.

The crowd waited patiently to see Reliable, running for the first time in the colors of E. R. Thomas, pick up 124 pounds in the last race, a handicap at a mile. The big colt went back to 3 to 2 from 6 to 5 in the betting. John Sanford's Molly Brant, with 100 pounds, remained steady at 8 to 5. while

100 pounds, remained steady at 8 to 5, while Mattie Corbett's Dalesman, the other startmattle Corbett's Datesman, the other starter, was played down to 13 to 5. Redfern made the pace with Reliable to the head of the stretch, where Lyne moved up with Molly Brant. They ran side by side for about 100 yards, when the Sanford mare drew away and won in a gallop by two lengths in 1.40. Reliable was eight lengths n front of Dalesman. Mr. Sanford's colors were also seen in

front in the fifth race, for maiden two-yearolds, at five and a half furiongs. They were carried by a smart filly named Burnt Hill, by Clifford—Whiplash, who was allowed to go back in the betting to 10 to 1. Newton Bennington's Salvage, the favorite, had great speed to the head of the stretch, but blew up in the next sixteenth. Then Odom took Burnt Hill to the front and won rather easily by two lengths from S. S. Brown's Broadcloth, 6 to 1. James R. Keene's Sinister, 6 to 1, beat Salvage a head for third The time was 1.07.

Brush Up, the favorite in the third race, for two-year-olds, was the victim of crowding in the rush for the rail and fell. William Easton's Danseuse, 6 to 1, showed her heels to the others and won easily by two lengths from Rubric, 10 to 1. Dave Gideon's Golden Sunrise, 12 to 5, who ran third, was stopping at the end. The time was 1.08 2-5.
E. R. Thomas' Stalwart, 11 to 5 favorite, won the first race, for sprinters, at six fur-longs. He came from behind and after catching Dick Bernard and Scarfell, 6 to 1 shots, took the race from the former by three parts of a length in 1.13. The steeple chase for maidens was a howling farce. Out of eight starters only three finished. Trek. to 1, winning in a gallop. Woden, the favorite, was among those that tumbled. The defeat of four favorites made the day particularly dull for the regulars. O'Neill

AUTOMOBILE RACES.

Central Labor Union Arranging Labor Day Program. The Central Labor Union has made ar-

rangements to hold its Labor day automobile races at the Benning race track, Jockey Club. There is no other place in this icinity, it is said, where races of this nature can be held on as large a scale as at Benning. An entertainment such as Washington has never before witnessed is promised by the union. It is rumored that Barney Oldfield and other prominent autodrivers will have machines on the track. The other Labor day sports of the union will be held at the same place, and the usual admission fee will entitle the spectator to observe the entire program of events. The Washington Automobile Racing Association has sanctioned the program at Benning and will lend its support to the

LARNED WINS CUP.

Obtained Permanent Possession of Longwood Tennis Trophy.

The Longwood Cricket Club's annual tennis tournament at Boston ended yesterday with a brilliant challenge match for the Longwood cup, and William A. Larned of Summit, N. J., a former national champion, having two legs in the trophy, obtained permanent possession of it by defeating Holcombe Ward of Orange, N. J., three sets to one. The scores were 5-7, 6-2, 6-3,

Larned won by his steadiness, deadly line shots and superb net play. Rallies were very frequent, each point being decided quickly, as each man sought to get to the net as soon as possible. As both men are particularly expert in this style of play, the match displayed their abilities to the utmost. The winner secred 127 points to

Homing Pigeon Shot.

Mr. William Flammer of the Portner flats writes to The Star that a homing pigeon was shot at Arlington Heights on July 31. The band on the bird's leg was marked T. C., 14749.

Base Ball Notes.

St. Louis today. Chicago has at last managed to reach the top of the ladder. Herman Long has been taken into the ranks. He will be used as an extra in-

fielder. Al. Orth pitched another good game for New York.

The Athletics have been playing good ball lately, and it is expected before the present series with the Chicagos is over the leaders

will be out of first place.
Cincinnati dropped two games to the Phillies yesterday. They blame President Pulliam of the National League for their defeats. They consider that they would have won had not Kelley and Seymour been suspended. It is true the Reds might have won, but the question arises: Why don't the Cincinnati club make its players

Mason is pitching fine ball for the Balti-mores, holding the Jersey City "Skeeters" down in fine form yesterday. The Detroit Journal says Bill Coughlin's conduct with the Tigers so far has been worth \$8,000. He is hitting 'em out and digging 'em up. Hill is playing a great game at third for

Virginia Lawyers Adjourn.

A dispatch from Hot: Springs, Va., last night says: The convention of the State Bar Association closed tonight with a banquet. It is regarded as settled that the next session of the association will be held at Old Point.

The session this morning was devoted chiefly to listening to a paper read by Judge Francis E. Baker of Indiana, who presides over the eleventh judicial circuit, on "The State Corporation and the Federal Court." The chair announced the following dele-The chair announced the following delegates to the international congress of lawyers and jurists, which will be in session in St. Louis September 28 to 30: Attorney General William A. Anderson, S. C. Graham, Marshall McCormick, R. B. Tunstall, Theodore S. Garnett, R. B. Davis, Sämuel Griffin, J. K. M. Norton, G. L. Kelly, C. F. Moore; alternates, Micajah Woods, J. D. Horsley, S. V. Fulkerson, J. B. T. Thornton, W. R. Vance, G. E. Sipe, W. E. Darrett, Jackson Guy, Roger Gregory and E. E. Stickley.

E. Stickley.

President Hamilton presided at the banquet tonight. The following was the toast list: "Virginia," Attorney General William A. Anderson; "Our guest," Judge Francis E. Baker; "The bench." Mr. Harry St.

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NOTED ARTIST DEAD.

Death of Robert Crannell Minor in New York.

A dispatch from New York last night says: Another artist of note among the finer and more delicate producers of landscape has passed away with the death of Robert Crannell Minor, N. A. An invalid for many years, he gave up his New York studio in 1900, but continued to work until the last at his home in Waterford, near New London, where he passed away on

Wednesday. Minor was born in New York city in through the courtesy of the Washington 1840; he was the son of Israel Minor of Woodbury, Conn., and Charlotte Van Hook Although his "Close of Day" took a medal of the third class at the Paris ex-positions of 1889, it was not until the W. T. Evans sale that he made a decided impression on the picture-buying public. Among the seven examples in Mr. Evans' collection was this medaled picture; it sold for \$3,050. The artist was present at the sale and was so much overcome that he broke down and had to leave the auction hurriedly to conceal his emotion. The price called attention to him and helped to fix a much higher level for his imaginative work. Another landscape, "Eventide," now in the Corcoran at Washington, brought

Minor first showed a distinctive original ity in nocturnes, especially moonlight views with moving water, brilliantly illuminated by the moon behind foliage. His sunsets were also eagerly coveted by ama-teurs. At Paris, in 1900, he took an honorable mention for the nocturne with vivid moonlight marine effects now in the Jacob H. Schiff collection. At the Pan-American and at the Charleston exhibition he received silver medals. Many of his finest examples are in the collection of Mr. C. F. Smith and the new W. T. Evans Mr. C. F. Smith and the new W. T. Evans gallery. The academy exhibition of this year contained his "Cloudy Moonlight," "September Evening" and "Nocturnes," pletures that perhaps do not reach the level of his very best work, but are far from suggesting the grievous affliction under which the painter suffered during the past six or seven years, one that affected his lecometion but fortunately spared his

locomotion, but fortunately spared his hands. Within the well-defined limits to which he wisely confined himself Robert C. Minor offers an example of high imaginative endeavor that always had to contend with a certain lack of facile workmanship. His pictures are not smooth and limpid productions, which carry themselves off by their triumph over technical difficulties, but paintings that reflect a struggle to achieve something more than the mere reproduction

f nature. Minor liked the mystery of darkness, and is most successful when appealing to the imagination with a powerful and sometimes a subtle use of contrasts in light and dark, or, as the old people used to say, in chiaroscuro, as in the "Midnight" of the Evans sale. Only second to these are the landscares that between a greating and landscapes that betray less agitation and are apt to contain the awe of twilight or of early moonrise like "The Hunter's Moon" and "Evening Star." He has not left a very large number of pictures, so that one may expect to see his finer canvases rapidly rise in value dur-ing the coming winter. He has always been

lar painter, but the limitation of the sup-ply of his work will tend to recommend it to those who think first of the salable quality of a picture, regarding it more as an investment of money than a source of pleasure. in earlier years; he was a member of the American Water Color Society and the Society of Landscape Painters; in 1897 he was elected a National Academician. He was one of the charter members of the National Arts Club, and belonged to the Lotos and Salmagundi Clubs. He was mar-

a collector's favorite rather than a popu

PACKERS DENY PEACE EFFORT. Declare That Progress is Being Made at Plants.

ried, but lost his wife some years ago

A dispatch from Chicago last night says In a statement given out tonight by the packers the report that negotiations are in progress to bring about another conference between the packers and the labor leaders is declared to be entirely unfounded. The packers assert that there is not the slightest possibility of further conference with the strike leaders. According to this statement the progress

being made at the plants is satisfactory to all the packers; more men are being employed daily; all contracts and current orders are being made at lower prices than before the strike commenced. In a table accompanying the statement it is shown that the total number of men at work tothat the total number of men at work to-night at all points is more than 20,000, dis-tributed as follows: Armour & Co., 9,115; Swift & Co., 8,623; Nelson Morris & Co., 8,648; National Packing Company, 4,10%. Libby, McNeil & Libby, 821; Schwarsschild & Suisberger, 1,926; Cudahy & Co., 1,431. With this number of men at work the packers claim to have shipped a total of 831 car loads of fresh meats from all points

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RESCUED FROM KIDNAPERS. Kidnaped Girl Found and Sent Home

to Denmark. A cablegram from Copenhagen, Denmark, says: The following are the facts in child said to be on her way from Chicago to Philadelphia and New York, in charge of a representative of the Danish consul general in New York, who is alleged to have rescued her from kidnapers, who demanded \$200,000 ransom:

Elsie Gellert, who is about four years old, had been in the care of Wilhelm Jensen and his wife for over two years at the case of Elsie Gellert, the Danish

Fredericia, Island of Jutland. They loved the child, and when last summer Gellert, the father of Elsie, wanted to take the child home again, the Jensens were inconsolable, whereupon Gellert relented and permitted the child to remain one month more with its foster parents, who said they sen and his wife for over two years at l more with its foster parents, who said they would go to Nestved, Island of Sceland. In-When Gellert discovered their flight, he instituted prosecution proceedings against the Jensens on the charge of kidnaping. Jensen, who is a former fish merchant, and his wife are considered to be respectable people.

is one of the richest men in Denmark, and one of his estates is said to be situated at Fredericia. Jensen, according to the story, was formely Gellert's valet. Detectives are reported to have traced the Jensens through New York, Erie, Buffalo and Cleveland, and finally, to Chicago, when they were coording to the dispect. and Cleveland, and finally, to Chicago, where they were, according to the dispatch from Chicago, arrested by Chief of Police O'Neil of Chicago. The child is understood to be on her way to New York in charge of George Beck, representing the Danish consul general, who, in turn, is understood to be acting under the orders of the Danish conjugates at Warklands minister at Washington.
The story, as told by the Jensens, The story, as told by the Jensens, is that they were prosperous tradespeople in Denmark. The child, they say, practically was deserted by her parents, and out of pity for the little one they volunteered to care for her. There was no adoption. They took her, they say, with the mother's consent.

Tornado Visits Virginia Section. A dispatch from Petersburg, Va., says: The neighborhood of Talpa, Prince George county, three miles from Carson Station on the Atlantic Coast Line railway, and about thirteen miles from Petersburg, was visited Wednesday afternoon by a tornado, the like of which has never before been witnessed in the county. The large residence of John Spiers, a promi-nent farmer of the county, was blown **************** "Wonder What Merts Will Say Today?" "AT THE SIGN OF THE MOON."

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å au4-75d struck by some of the timbers and seriously cut about the head and body. His child was also badly injured by flying timbers. All of Spiers' stables and outhouses were also wrecked, and all of his furniture and household wares were destroyed. The crops were all badly damaged. The loss in the section through which the tornado passed will be very heavy.

American Yacht Ingomar Won. A cablegram from Cowes, Isle of Wight, the deliveries of ice to retailers who have the the stock. In the deliveries of ice to retailers who have the the found in the stock at the time were twenty-two people, all of the time were twenty-two peopl